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## Series of Community Services Are Planned

Baptist Church Sponsoring Project to Start on October 23

### PASTOR MAKES APPEAL

A series of community services will be sponsored in Narberth this year by the Baptist Church. The first of these services, one of which will be given each month, will be held on Sunday evening, October 23d, at 7.45 o'clock. The speaker will be one noted for his literary skill and effective religion. There will also be a soloist well known in Philadelphia and to concert audiences elsewhere.

In commenting on the project, the Rev. Robert E. Keighton, pastor of the church, made the following statement: "The community of Narberth has always responded very enthusiastically to an attempt of the churches to present a service of community interest."

"As this is something of an experiment I wish the community to understand some of the implications. Speaking for just a moment of the purely financial side of the series. The Baptist Church is merely sponsoring the services, the community will support them. Men of reputation cannot be obtained unless we extend them the courtesy of an audience commensurate with their abilities; audiences they command in other places. There is also a fee. Let's speak of that frankly! Does Narberth wish to hear speakers of note? Whatever is given by individuals or by the audiences at these meetings will be used entirely for the expenses incurred by the meetings. A responsive co-operation will mean the ability to continue on a high level.

"Let's put it this way: Will Narberth respond in this attempt to promote adult education?"

## Personal Property Forms Distributed

Returns Shall be Made to Borough Assessor by October 15

### NEEDN'T BE NOTARIZED

Forms for the Return of Personal Property for 1933 have been mailed by the Borough Assessor, Joseph P. White, to all Narberth residents and should be filled out and returned to him by October 15.

These forms, which are used in making up the 1933 County Personal Property Tax, should be filled out, Mr. White said, whether or not the individual has any personal property liable to taxation.

It is not necessary to have the forms notarized, Mr. White said. They may be mailed to him or left at his house, 113 Essex avenue, and he will take care of them.

While it is the duty of the Assessor by law to furnish copies of these blanks to every taxable person, he points out that it is being done also as a matter of protection to residents and a means of avoiding future trouble and penalties.

As an example, Mr. White said if some one dies without filing a report on personal property with the Assessor, the County Board of Assessments may legally collect a tax for five years prior to his death.

"It is an easy matter," he said, "for the County authorities to check up on personal property through the mortgages listed in the Recorder's office at Norristown and through the income tax statements."

Many bond issues, Mr. White stated, are liable for the Pennsylvania 4-mill personal property tax, but this is refunded by the issuing corporation. These must be entered on the return, however. He advised consulting a broker where there is any doubt.

Mr. White also stated that where there is any change in holdings up to the first of the year, he should be notified and exemption can be claimed.

The Act states that the return on personal property does not apply to Building and Loan Associations.

## At Virginia College



MISS KATHRYN LUKENS a graduate last June of Lower Merion High School, who has entered the Freshman class at Sweetbriar College, Va. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Morton Lukens, of Merion Park.

## Babb Hero of Third Win From Erdenheim

Blond Hurler Allows Four Hits, Strikes Out 10 as Series Ends

### WAS SEASON'S FINALE

By JOHN MULLIGAN

Pack away the baseball equipment and prepare for the annual hot stove sessions at Davis' store, for it's all over until next year.

Narberth's diamond campaign has come to a close, a finis which finds the Boroughites not only boasting the Main Line League championship, but also credited with having clinched a post-season five-game series with Erdenheim, ruler of the North Penn Circuit. This was brought about last Saturday when Gene Davis' proteges chalked up their third successive victory over the Bethlehem Pike aggregation by 10-4 figures.

The prospective three-game series with Glenside, champ of the Montgomery County loop, has been cancelled, due to the interference of King Football, which has crowded the diamond pastime off the front page until somewhere early in 1933.

Erdenheim bowed meekly to the club which twice before had lowered its colors, yes, in fact, what the fans witnessed could hardly be mistaken for the brand of ball expected from a champion—and that goes for Narberth as well. Perhaps the reason for the loose playing turned in by both nines can be blamed on the spell of the gridiron game taking hold. At any rate, the game was a listless affair, with about as much life as one finds in an unidentified victim at

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### Players Meet Tuesday

The Narberth Players will hold a meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. LeRoy A. King, on Shirley road, next Tuesday evening. Rehearsals for the "Three Wise Fools" are underway. The play will be produced on November 18. W. H. Muller is coaching the play and Mrs. B. G. Simpson is the director. Full details as to the cast and place will be announced later.

## Main Line Club Women to Participate in Convention of State Federation October 10-14

Many of the club women on the Main Line are looking forward to the opening of the 37th annual convention of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women to be held at the Bellevue-Stratford from October 10 until October 14. The theme of the convention is "On Good Citizenship Rests the Future of Our Nation," a quotation from George Washington, and the keynote is the forward march. The session opens on Tuesday, October 11. On that day Mayor J. Hampton Moore and Governor Gifford Pinchot will address the assembly. The Governor discusses "Government For Whom."

This being the bicentennial year of Washington's birth, the convention Program Committee, of which Mrs. J.

## Borough Schools Open With 476 Enrolled

Roll Includes 62 New Pupils, But Total is Less Than Last Year

### SCHOOL CENSUS FIGURES

The Narberth Public Schools opened on Monday with an enrollment of 476 pupils in the eight grades and kindergarten, it was announced by Supervising Principal W. James Drennen.

The enrollment, which is smaller than last year by 25, includes 62 new pupils in addition to the kindergarten. It is expected that a few more pupils will be added to the rolls before long.

The enrollment by grades is as follows: Kindergarten, 37; 1st grade, 56; 2d grade, 53; 3d grade, 46; 4th grade, 43; 5th grade, 59; 6th grade, 52; 7th grade, 64; 8th grade, 66.

There are 18 new pupils in the 1st grade, 3 in the 2d, 5 in the 3d, 4 in the 4th, 5 in the 5th, 5 in the 6th, 12 in the 7th, and 10 in the 8th.

In reply to inquiries regarding the School Cafeteria Mr. Drennen stated that every effort is being made to have all trays, dishes, etc., scrupulously clean, scalding them in boiling water. No food is handled and sandwiches are wrapped. Workers in the cafeteria must be examined, he said, according to the State law and have medical certificates. The prices also have been cut wherever possible.

According to the School Census enumeration there are 1,021 Narberth boys and girls attending public, private and parochial schools. This includes all from the age of six through the senior high school.

Sixty-five Narberth pupils are enrolled in private and parochial schools as follows:

Friends' Central, 10; Haverford Preparatory School, 6; St. Francis, 1; Overbrook Friends' School, 2; West Philadelphia Catholic High School, 10; Montgomery School, 4; Chatham Hall, Va., 1; Anderson School, N. Y., 1; Mater Misericordiae Academy, 9; Waldron Academy, 3; Haverford Friends' School, 1; Episcopal Academy, 4; Hallahan Catholic High School, 1; Girls' West Catholic High School, 1; George School, 1; Wayne Catholic High School, 2; St. Leonards, 1; Holman School, 2; Baldwin School, 4; St. Paul's School, N. H., 1.

Age groups according to the census are as follows: 6 to 8 years, 75 boys, 62 girls, total—137; 8 to 14 years, 222 boys, 245 girls, total—467; 14 to 16 years, 138 boys, 124 girls, total—262. The total from 6 to 16 years is 866 boys and girls.

## Mulieres to Nominate Officers on Monday

The Mulieres of the Narberth Fire Company will hold the first meeting of the season in Elm Hall on Monday afternoon at 2 P. M. There will be nomination of officers for the presidency and Executive Board. The election will take place at the November meeting.

The final plans for the series of dances to be held during the winter will then be made. The first dance will take place on October 28 and will be a costume dance. There will be a good orchestra.

## Mergerites Resume Activity; Have 700 Signers to Petition

Original Committee Enlarged to 51 Members at Meeting Last Friday; Plan Intensive Canvass to Get Petition Before Courts

After several months of inactivity, the Narberth Citizens' Committee, advocating the merger of the Borough with Lower Merion Township, came to life this week with the announcement that over 700 names are now recorded as favoring the step.

The movement originated last winter at public meetings held in the Borough to consider educational problems. A committee was formed to investigate the matter and comprehensive reports were prepared and submitted to the Narberth Borough Council and the Commissioners of Lower Merion Township.

The original committee was enlarged to include 51 members at a meeting held last Friday night in the Legion room of the Narberth Community Building.

Plans are being made for an intensive canvass of the Borough to secure the necessary signatures (two-thirds of the taxable inhabitants of Narberth) for the petition seeking the annulment of the Borough charter, so as to get it before the Courts in time for action during the current year.

Members of the Committee stated that while no organized canvass of the Borough was made during the summer months, block canvasses were made in different sections to gauge the percentage of taxpayers who favor the merger. An average of 80 per cent. of those in the block canvassed have signed the petition, it is said.

According to the Merger Committee, Narberth now pays to Lower Merion \$57,100.00 per year for tuition on its high school enrollment, police

protection, sewer rental and milk inspection. This represents 30 per cent. of the whole Narberth tax bill. The Committee points out, as an example of duplication of effort, this money is now collected by the Narberth Tax Collector and turned over to the School and Borough Treasurers, respectively, who in turn pass it on to the Township Treasurer. This double handling of the item alone costs the Borough taxpayers \$1,453.27 in fees before the money reaches the Township, it is claimed.

Under the merger, the Committee states, the Narberth taxpayer pays his taxes direct to the Township

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## Chairmen Report at Opening Club Meeting

Class Formed to Study International Relations, it Was Announced

### MRS. BRUNEEL TREAS.

The Women's Community Club of Narberth held the first meeting of the season in the Girl Scout Wing of the Community Building on Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. Charles J. Brunel was elected treasurer. Mrs. Leon Webster Melcher, chairman of the recently organized International Relations Committee, announced the formation of a class to study this question and a meeting will be held next Monday afternoon at 2 P. M., when the reports of the various international current questions will be discussed. One of the subjects will be the St. Lawrence Seaway Treaty.

Mrs. C. Arley Farmer made a plea for outgrown or discarded clothing for the needy, and Mrs. Joseph H. Miller, chairman of the Fellowship Committee, announced that there would be a series of card parties this winter, one for the benefit of the unemployed. Mrs. Bernard F. Keenan reported for the Juniors, and Mrs. W. J. Loughlin, chairman of the American Home Department, announced that sewing meetings were being held every Thursday.

Mrs. P. A. Wales, chairman of the Art Department, will hold a meeting on Friday afternoon, October 14, at 2 P. M., at her home in Montgomery school, when Mrs. Wesley P. Carlson will read an article on the D'Ascenzo stained glass. On October 28th the Art Department will make a pilgrimage to the D'Ascenzo Studio. Mrs. Edward Heyman is in charge of the transportation and arrangements should be made with her.

The Art Department will also make a pilgrimage to the Church of the New Jerusalem at Bryn Athyn on November 7. Those desiring to go will meet at the Narberth Station at 1.30 for both pilgrimages.

Mrs. Walter J. Odiorne, chairman of the Literature Group will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clifford Bates, when Mrs. C. Arley Farmer would review

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## Boys' Club Formed in Borough Tuesday

New Organization, Sponsored by Prominent Men, to Have Athletic Teams

### OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

At an enthusiastic meeting in the Legion Room Tuesday evening a Narberth Boys' Club was organized, which is sponsored by many prominent men of the Borough.

The Legion Room will be used as headquarters, where it is planned meetings will be held once a month. The club will put football and basketball teams in the field and with the coaching of Art Cooke and Lou Young the gridiron aggregation is expected to give a good account of itself.

Uniforms are being ordered and a movie benefit is planned to help raise funds for the new organization.

The officers of the club are: George Burta, president; Fred Walzer, vice-president; George Burgess, secretary; John A. Mowrer, Jr., treasurer.

Three of the boys, Carl Blessing, Art Dinger and Tom Casey, are members of the Board of Directors.

Men present at Tuesday's meeting included Burgess Henry A. Frye, Councilman John R. Hall, E. C. Griswold, J. J. Cabrey, Art Cooke, Frantoni, Duncan, George Schroeder, Raymond Cabrey, and Salisan and Fred of the Narberth Theatre.

It is expected that the club will enter a basketball team in the Main Line League and also participate in bowling and baseball.

Harry Hollar will coach the basketball team and act as business manager of the football team.

## Welfare Overhead Expense Explained

Rotary Speaker Shows Economy of Five Per Cent. Cost of Federation

### RENDER MANY SERVICES

Overhead and administration costs in the collecting and distributing of funds of the Welfare Federation were discussed Tuesday by Alexander Fleisher, speaking before the Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotary Club. The speaker was introduced by Walter B. Richards.

Mr. Fleisher showed that the entire cost of the Federation's collection and supervision amounted to about 5 per cent. of the total money involved, a figure which compares with solicitation expenses of 20 per cent. to 50 per cent. in many agencies which formerly collected independently. In addition, the savings made by the Federation in consolidating and supervising the 118 agencies under its banner practically compensate for this. The same applies to the Jewish Welfare, he said, which takes care of 30 agencies.

Much of the money classified as overhead in the Federation and its agencies, he pointed out, is really expense for service other than the actual distribution of cash or food or

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## Dr. Barker, Herb Baltz and Dr. Town Helped Lower Merion Beat Cheltenham Back in 1901

By TOMMY MACKLIN

It was a pleasant October day in 1901 up at Cheltenham Township. It was a gala day for many hundreds of boys and girls who were out to see their favorite teams in action. There was a tang of autumn in the air, and the leaves were brown and red and gold, and with an occasional fur coat to be seen along the crowd, there is little doubt but that football was in the blood.

The game starts. The visitors have the ball. Groans from the home folks and cheers from the visiting hordes.

"Signals!" It's Louie Bevan barking the familiar call. "Tackles back, 76-21-93-hep!"

"Who's got the ball?" "Fellows!" "McCurdy!"

"No, it's Barker. There he is; they've downed him on the ten-yard line."

And so it was. With almost a ton of flesh massed in tandem formation the big team was marching down the field to the very shadow of the Cheltenham goal post. Another second and Bevan's signals sound again and over the line drives Full-back Horace Young for the first touchdown of a mighty conflict.

Yes, you're right. It was the stalwart Maroon team of Lower Merion lined up against the Blue Panthers of Cheltenham. And thus we inaugurated one of the longest schoolboy feuds in Pennsylvania football history, for the local school has

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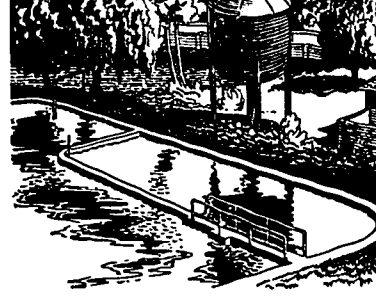
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Church Notes

**Baptist Church of the Evangel**  
Robert E. Keighton, Minister  
Stanley T. Reiff, Organist and Music Director  
Sunday, October 9:  
9.45 A. M.—The Reopening Day of the Church School. The School meets in the Auditorium for Worship and the promotion of classes.  
11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Poetry of Religion." The relation of two grossly misunderstood subjects.  
7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "Good Taste in Religion." A plea for the observance in Religion of that which we demand in human relations.  
Wednesday, October 12:  
8.00 P. M.—The Mid-Week Meeting. Continuing our discussion of the prayers of Jesus, we study what the Church has called "The Lord's Prayer."  
See the news column for our special announcement.

**The Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. John Van Ness, D.D., Minister  
Meetings for October 9:  
9.45 A. M.—Bible School. It is very gratifying to have all departments meet again after the long enforced absence. There will be a special heart searching lesson for Mothers in the Women's Bible Class, to which all women are cordially invited.  
11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Communion Meditation in the Suffering, Sacrifice, Service and Salvation of the Cross. There will be a public reception of new members, followed by the Celebration of the Lord's Supper.  
6.45 P. M.—All three Christian Endeavor Societies will meet. The Juniors will be directed by Miss Florence Firber, and the Intermediates by Miss Margaret Dempster. The leader of the Senior meeting will be Miss Faith McAuliffe.  
7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship. This is the last of the special meetings that have been held all this past week with so much benefit to all who have attended. The subject of the sermon tonight should be of special interest: "What Will I Be Doing When Jesus Returns?" Let us each do our part in making this the best meeting of the series.  
Next Tuesday evening the Community Bible Class will have its opening meeting of the season. Miss Harrison is the teacher.  
Next Wednesday Evening — The Prayer Meeting. Subject: "What Have I Gotten Out of the Special Meetings?"  
Next Thursday Evening At the Church—The regular monthly meeting of the Westminster Circle. The hostesses will be Mrs. Keenan, Mrs. Fortenbacher, Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Taylor, Miss Vandling and Mrs. Wilson.

**Holy Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Rev. Cletus A. Senft, Pastor  
Saturday, 3.00 P. M.—Men's Quoit Tournament on the Playgrounds.  
Sunday, October 9, 1932:  
9.30 A. M.—Bible School in all departments. Get ready for Rally Day on October 16.  
11.00 A. M.—The Morning Service. Theme: "Making Light of the Kingdom."  
7.45 P. M.—The Vesper Service. Theme: "Careless Church Members."  
The United Lutheran Church Convention will begin with the Communion Service, next Wednesday night, and continue through to October 19. The business sessions are held at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Ninth and Chestnut streets, and are open to the public.

**Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Rev. Samuel MacAdams, Minister  
Sunday, October 9:  
9.45 A. M.—Rally Day Service in the Sunday School. The address will be delivered by Mr. George Elliott, superintendent of the Calvary M. E. Sunday School, Philadelphia, Pa.  
11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon theme—"Why I Believe in the Church."  
6.45 P. M.—Epworth League Devotional Meeting.  
7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Song Service. Sermon theme: "Christ Triumphant."  
Tuesday, October 11:  
8.00 P. M.—Meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society in the Church Parlor.  
8.00 P. M.—Meeting of the Young Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society (formerly Standard Bearers) at the home of Miss Katherine Heydler, 105 Merion avenue. All young ladies over 21 are cordially invited. This meeting will introduce the study book, "Lady Fourth Daughter of China,"

New Committee Woman



MISS MARGARET O. BENADE of 455 State road, Cynwyd, who has been appointed committee-woman for the Cynwyd election district, Lower Merion Township, filling the vacancy created by the recent death of her mother, Mrs. Theodore E. Benade.

The Literary Inquest

Conducted by  
Richard Powell  
Vicente Blasco-Ibanez has changed his style considerably since he wrote, "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," and not entirely for the better. His Latin fire that roared hotly when its fuel was war, and that seared like acid when he was inveighing against the female sex in "Woman Triumphant," flickers dimly in his present effort, "The Three Roses" (E. P. Dutton, \$2.50. Pub. September 1). He has tried to throttle his genius down to the slow pace of business and family life. Such a story would be suited to the satirical, materialistic Gallic writer or to the restrained English novelist, but Spanish fire cools in the hundred small avenues of this intricate theme.

Dona Manuela had married a man whom she considered beneath her social class, in a jealous rage against her wastrel of a lover. When her husband's establishment—the House of The Three Roses—prospered, she seized the chance to climb in Valencian society. The death of her husband left her free to marry her former lover and to live in glittering ostentation. Her miserly brother, Juan, croaks warnings and watches saturnally as ruin creeps up on Dona Manuela and her children.

Excepting this brother Juan, none of the central characters are vigorously drawn. Dona Manuela is cosmopolitan and trite in her snobbishness. Her two daughters are uninteresting because the delicate shading of the adolescent female character escapes Blasco-Ibanez' bluntness. Conversely, the gaunt figure of Juan is arrestingly powerful, and many of the minor characters pulse with a rugged, truly Spanish life. His picture of the Valencia of thirty years ago would make the reputation of an unknown writer. One can see it, smell it and hear it, and one would be quite content to roam through it thus if there were no boring interruptions by Dona Manuela and her children.

Throughout "The Three Roses" is a strong flavor of Balzac. Juan might have stepped from any of a dozen short stories by the great Frenchman; the background is as vividly Spanish as those of Balzac are French. There is one difference: Balzac would have written "The Three Roses" in twenty thousand words instead of its present hundred thousand. One has no right to demand such clipped discrimination from Blasco-Ibanez, but one does have the right to expect a theme that exhibits his fiery simplicity to better advantage.

**Hearsay Evidence**  
How many times does one hear, "Nothing of importance is written nowadays?" The explanation may be that most modern authors write in haste and repent in penthouses. Gustave Flaubert, who could never have afforded much more than a bed-sitting room from his writing revenue, took seven years to write one short story, "Madam Bovary." Critics call it the greatest novel in literature.  
James Fenimore Cooper could only write when he was chewing gumdrops... Maurice Jokai had to have violet ink... Dean Farrar wrote his books standing... Dickens needed the noise of a city... Louisa M. Al-

cott, for all her famous books about girls, did not like girls... Samuel Johnson wrote "Rasselas" for \$500 to pay for his grandmother's funeral. The poet Young composed his "Night Thoughts" with a skull before him, and if that failed to induce inspiration, he strolled among the stones of a graveyard.

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Among the outstanding events of November will be the "Debutantes' Ball," to be given at The Warwick, on Friday evening, November 4, for the benefit of the Children's Heart Hospital, of Bala. The patronesses are Mrs. John Tyson, Mrs. Galloway C. Morris, Mrs. Lewis H. Van Deusen, Mrs. W. Logan MacCoy, Mrs. E. Florence Rivinus, Mrs. John Clark Sims, Mrs. Isaac W. Jeanes and Mrs. Frederick C. Schaeffer.

L. M.-Narberth Council Plans Luncheon Talks

Speakers of Distinction to Address Republican Women at Whitehall

The Fall program of the Lower Merion-Narberth Council of Republican Women is now complete and promises a season of unusual activity and interest.

A series of luncheon talks, beginning on October 25th, has been arranged, each featuring a speaker of distinction in his or her own special field of activity. These talks are intended to give to the members of the Council and to such others as may attend, certain background which the intelligent voter and thoughtful citizen must have.

Among the programs arranged are an address by Alice F. Liveright, State Secretary of Welfare on the "Administration of Relief in the Counties, a visit by the Council to the 133 Legislature, and a talk by Franklin Spencer Edmonds on "Party Politics and Principles." Details of these and other meetings will be announced later.

At the first luncheon talk on October 25, Mrs. Hannah M. Durham, member of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Council of Republican Women, and a speaker of unusual ability, will be the guest of honor. Mrs. Durham will give her first hand impressions of the Convention, the campaign and the candidates of the Republican Party. As this meeting comes but two weeks before the Presidential election, Council officials expect that it will be of absorbing interest.

The luncheon talks arranged by the Council will be held at 1 o'clock at the Whitehall Hotel, Haverford. All friends of the Council will be very welcome to attend. The price of the luncheon, which is fifty cents, including the address, has been kept extremely low as a concession to the flattened purses of the day. The officers feel that many will want to avail themselves of so exceptional an opportunity.

Mrs. John Y. Huber, Jr., of Haverford, is the new chairman of the Council, succeeding Mrs. H. Tatnall Brown, Jr., also of Haverford.

The Forum

Praises Hoover Speech To the Editor of "Our Town:"

Since the Democratic side of the argument has not as yet replied to our letter on August 5th, we are presenting our impressions of President Hoover's Des Moines address of October 4th.

The plain, straightforward statement of actual facts in relation to the present depression, its underlying causes and the really constructive efforts in building the foundations of recovery.

Herbert Hoover is not a silvery-tongued orator, but talks like a man with a heart of gold. Not a professional politician, but a real citizen, with the interests of his fellowman foremost beyond personal ambition.

The speech is a matter of record; it was probably heard by both Democrats and Republicans. It should help materially to decide as to which candidates and which party has served, and will serve, our country best.

Herbert Hoover. American, Gentleman, Executive, Statesman and Citizen Extraordinary.

To vote for Herbert Hoover for President of the United States is indeed an opportunity.

ROBERT J. EDGAR.

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## THE FIRESIDE

Mrs. Joseph R. Clausen, of Meeting House lane, is entertaining at luncheon and bridge this Friday.

Mrs. G. R. Richardson and her sons, Mr. Clyde Richardson, Mr. Elwood Richardson and Mr. Claire Richardson, of Valley View road, returned last Sunday from a two and a half weeks' trip to Birmingham, Ala.; Nashville, Tenn.; Louisville, Ky., and Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. L. M. Leonard, of Altoona, is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Berry and their sons, Harrison and Dick, spent the week-end at Penn State College, when they attended the Penn State and Lebanon game.

Mrs. E. C. Town, of N. Narberth avenue, is spending several days in Mifflinsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Francis Mitchell, of Hampden avenue, who is recovering from a recent operation, returned from the Presbyterian Hospital on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. V. V. Anderson and their daughter, Miss Polly Anderson, of Stattsburg, N. Y., were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Lelloy A. King, of Shirley road, over the week-end. Miss Anderson is entering the Illman School in Philadelphia.

Dr. and Mrs. William A. Pearson, of Avon road, spent several days last week in Skytop, Pa., where they attended the State Medical Convention.

Mrs. Pearson and her daughter, Miss Betty Pearson, spent two months this summer on a 10,000-mile motor trip through the West and on the Coast. They visited Black Hills in Dakota, attended the International Rotary Club Convention in Seattle, Washington; visited Crater Lake, Rainier National Park, Yellowstone Park and drove down the Redwood Highway and the new Coast road to San Francisco and Los Angeles, returning via the Santa Fe Trail and stopping en route at the Grand Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon C. Piercy, of Dudley avenue, have left for Terre Haute, Ind., where they will stay for a week.

Mrs. C. L. Brearly and family, who have been at their summer cottage since June, returned this week to their home on Elm Terrace.

Mrs. Herbert B. Price and her daughter, Miss Doris Price, who have been spending five weeks in Baltimore, Md., returned to their home on Anthony road, on Sunday. While there Mrs. Price and her daughter, accompanied by Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. George H. Elmer, and her sister, Mrs. Florence E. Woodland, motored through Virginia and West Virginia, stopping en route at the Crystal Caverns, Strasburg and Harper's Ferry.

Dr. and Mrs. Garth Boericke, of Kenilworth road, spent several days last week at Skytop, where they attended the State Medical Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boyle, of Conway avenue, spent the week-end in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Torrey and family, who have been spending the summer at their cottage at Echo Lake, Pa., returned to their home on Brookhurst avenue, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sulzberger, of Glenwood road, have returned from West Chester, where they spent the summer at the farm of Mrs. Sulzberger's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cowin, of Merion avenue, and their daughter, Miss Marjorie Cowin, returned last Thursday from Cape May, where they

spent the summer.

Mrs. George Stackhouse, of Forrest avenue, is in Woodfield, Ohio, where she was called on account of the recent death of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Morton Lukens, of Merion Park, spent the week-end at Sweetbriar College, Va., where they visited their daughter, Miss Kathryn Lukens, who is a member of the Freshman Class.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott McFadden, of Valley road, returned last Thursday from Ocean City, where they occupied their cottage for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, accompanied by Mrs. Mueller's sister, Miss Flora Kurzenknebe, and her niece, Mrs. John Russell Fulton, returned on Wednesday from a week's trip to Bay Village.

Announcement is made of the marriage Thursday, September 22, of Miss Elsie Bekemeire, of New York City, and Mr. John C. Cotter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Cotter, 222 Sabine avenue, Narberth. The wedding took place in The Little Church Around the Corner. Mr. Cotter, who accompanied his father on a trip to Germany this summer, met his future wife on the voyage across. They will be at home here after the first of January.

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## Local Movies

"Million Dollar Legs"  
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Very funny comedy is "Million Dollar Legs," at the Egyptian this Friday and Saturday nights. Its cast includes Comedians Jack Oakie, W. C. Fields, Andy Clyde, Ben Turpin and Lyda Roberti. Laugh-provoking and well-recommended everywhere.

Saturday's matinee at the Egyptian is free for all children aged 18 and under. A special surprise entertainment will be given.

"Reserved For Ladies" is a sophisticated comedy for adults, with Leslie Howard splendid as the star; at the Cynwyd Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

Lew Ayres and Mae Clarke are co-starred in "Night World," the Egyptian's feature next Wednesday and Thursday.

"Skyscraper Souls," bringing Warren William and Maureen O'Sullivan next week-end, is an exciting tale with a good cast.

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at Hedgerow Twice Next Week

Four different nationalities are the sources for the exceptionally interesting and varied offerings next week at the Hedgerow Theatre in Rose Valley, including two new plays just added to the repertory of this versatile company.

The delightful modern Spanish comedy by G. Martinez Sierra, with the universal appeal of the love of a wife for a ne'er-do-well husband, who over night becomes a national hero by winning an aeroplane race, is the latest production. "Wife to a Famous Man," opening tomorrow night, will be repeated on Monday and Tuesday nights with Miriam Phillips, Alfred Rowe, Mildred Lewis, Don Shelton, and Helen Craig in the principal roles. On Wednesday night comes "The D. A.," by Anthony Veiller, a swiftly moving and timely American comedy, which ironically reveals some of the influences brought to bear on elections of public servants. Carl Reukauf and Catherine Rieser carry the chief roles of the successful criminal lawyer and his secretary. The production for Thursday evening is Albert Bein's "The Heavenly Express," a play which merges realism

and fantasy through the lives of American railroad men.

The tempestuous farce, "The Physician in Spite of Himself," by the famous Frenchman, Moliere, will be given one of its infrequent performances on Friday night, and on Saturday the gripping Russian drama, which might best be described as a mood play, "The Sea Gull," by Chekhov, will be presented.

## Friends' Central Opens

Friends' Central School, Overbrook, opened its senior school for the Fall term last Monday. The Junior school will open next Monday, October 10, according to an announcement this week by Dr. Barclay L. Jones, headmaster.

## Open 58th Year

Miss Dora A. Shoemaker announces the opening of the 58th year of the National School of Elocution and Oratory, 1821 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. The present indications are of an increased enrollment for 1932-1933. Several new interesting courses will be given in play production, history of the theatre and scenery design. All plays are produced in the school's newly completed and well-equipped theatre.

Over 21,000 Registered for  
Election in Twp. and Borough

There are 21,316 voters registered for the November Presidential election in Lower Merion Township and Narberth, according to figures of Montgomery County Chief Clerk Harry S. Shainline.

Compilation of the qualified lists of voters in the 180 precincts of Montgomery County, completed Saturday, showed 141,517 voters registered from the entire County. Of this number 71,217 were men and 70,300 women.

The voters listed by precincts in Lower Merion were: N. Ardmore District, No. 1, 983; N. Ardmore District, No. 2, 765; S. Ardmore District, No. 1, 791; S. Ardmore District, No. 2, 997; S. Ardmore District, No. 3, 858; S. Ardmore District, No. 4, 776; W. Ardmore District, 1058; Bala District, 1224; East Bryn Mawr District, 1111; West Bryn Mawr District, 884; Cynwyd District, 1733; East Lower District, 1129; Haverford District, 1204; Lower District, 933; Merion District, 2052; Rosemont District, 742; Upper District, 1128.

The Narberth list is: Narberth, No. 1, 1040; No. 2, 1256; No. 3, 652.

## Emergency Aid Meets

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### On Getting Lost

The time of year has arrived when it pays to get lost, for he who wanders from the well-known paths will battle his way back to the familiar haunts of civilization through jungles of brilliantly colored leaves, waste lands of golden October fields and armies of harvested corn and wheat.

The Main Line dweller, be he a lover of the purring motor car or an amateur of the graceful art of walking, will find it much to his advantage to desert the orderly processions of the well-paved pikes and lose himself in a maze of autumn scenery which only eastern Pennsylvania can offer.

Let the motorist, then, forsake the concrete and follow the compass. Drive, for example, to Valley Forge, tarrying long enough to admire the brilliant red foliage of the dogwoods and their wonderful crop of 1932 berries. Then turn your car west along the Yellow Springs road until you come to the octagon schoolhouse; turn right and cross Diamond Rock hill. Now you are in strange country. Follow a westerly course until you are completely confused, and then follow the trusty compass to the south. Soon you will cross familiar roads, but (and this is important) be sure to cross them.

The rolling lands of Chester and Delaware Counties are now on every side. A course to the east will bring you homeward. All this must be done on dirt or macadam roads. If accident brings your course to a main road, shun it and seek the lesser route to one side. Had you failed to turn right at the schoolhouse, your continued course on the Yellow Springs road would have brought you to beautiful Charlestown Village and Chester Springs—country which you will want to see next May.

Or pick as a starting point Newtown Square. Take the southerly road immediately to the west of the main highway from West Chester pike to Media and follow it for a mile or so. On the way you will find the modernesque building and sky-piercing tower of WCAU (which has recently been drowning out nearly everything on your radio) and then the upper reaches of the Springton Reservoir, that beautiful lake which has so kindly been added to our scenery by the Philadelphia Suburban Water Company. Continue on your way, wandering off on small roads, and you are sure to get lost.

For only by losing yourself, and steering by the sun or compass, can you discover the hundreds of beauty spots surrounding the Main Line. They are here every day in the year, but October is the climax of the show. No wonder the most confirmed Californiac comes back to the Main Line from time to time to walk or drive these roads again.

### Attend Earhart Dinner

Among the presidents of the Main Line Clubs who attended the dinner on Wednesday given at Gimbel's in honor of Miss Amelia Earhart were Mrs. Dudley Bartlett, president of the Woman's Club of Ardmore; Mrs. James H. Egan, president of the Woman's Club of Bryn Mawr; Mrs. David N. Patterson, president of the Woman's Club of Bala-Cynwyd; Mrs. Joseph A. Hongler, president of the Women's Community Club of Narberth, and Mrs. Arthur C. Goldsmith, of Wynnewood.

## Shreds & Patches

October

On a morning, when there was much to be done within, The Vagrant stepped out into his garden and found October there. Brilliant blue sky, dancing breeze, warm slanting sun obliquely touching up the colors of the still blooming zinnias and asters, and the smell of leaves being burned by some industrious neighbor. Thus it befell that what he had intended to be just a glance outside, just time enough for a breath of fresh air, as the saying is, was greatly prolonged. Many things beckoned to be looked at and to be poked at here and there in that small enclosure, and there was also a very comfortable bench, half in the sun and half in the shadow, where one could surrender himself to the day and be warmed and relaxed mentally and physically. Then when there came the uninvited and troublesome thought of the study desk piled with a week's accumulation of letters and bills, of checkbook to be balanced, if possible, some urgent excuse became necessary to prolong the idle time outside. There was that wasp's nest, of course. It should be looked at from a safe distance to determine whether it was still as flourishing as before. The exact hole in the ground, marking its entrance, should be noted again and remembered, for there would be the point where the spade of extermination should be thrust in after a sharp frost had quieted the inmates. All of those things were done, thoroughly and meditatively, and much time was consumed thereat.

### Forced Labors

La Vagante, however, was also aware of that desk in the study and that it was the time for her discussion of the family budget, which she operates so conscientiously and so convincingly discusses once each month with a repentant Vagrant. Hence, with deep-laid scheme, she called him in for lunch and, wily woman that she is, trapped him by saying that she would have it served in the study. Now lunch is lunch whether in dining room, kitchen or study, a meal which it is frequently more convenient to bring to The Vagrant than to bring him to it. But why fill in the details? The budget followed lunch, then bills and checkbook, served like courses, and, in spite of himself, The Vagrant got through his monthly tasks and then turned his attention to this column. At that point La Vagante left him to his own devices which were scanty, owing to forced labors already performed. Had he been permitted to remain in the garden, this column would have been a very different screed this week. He had been thinking of telling more about his interesting conversation with the Wandering Jew, previously introduced and never completed. Also, there were some thoughts developing around "The Good Earth," which he had read as a novel and seen as a play during the past week, and thought the play greater than the book. Also, worthy of mention, was an interesting letter from a man who reads this column, and who, knowing not The Vagrant personally, wrote his interesting deductions regarding him and showed that The Vagrant had revealed himself more than he was aware.

### "Joys of the Road"

Is not all this writing futile? Why should The Vagrant burden paper with his thoughts when every subject has already been written over and over again by abler men who are more gifted writers? What is there worth writing about today, except that glorious October out there in the garden? Surely, this is a new day, a new October; though one were nearly mute he should be able to say something new about that! Ah, yes, perhaps; but better than any man before? That is impossible, for Bliss Carman, himself not rated among the great, has put into words a vagrant's thoughts of October far better and more truly than can ever be done by him who now signs himself "Vagrant" with a presumptuous "The" in front of it. Listen to these few selections from Carman's "The Joys of the Road":

A vagrant's morning wide and blue  
In early fall when the wind walks,  
too

A shadowy highway, cool and brown,  
Alluring up and enticing down.

The crickets mourning their comrades lost,  
In the night's retreat from the gathering frost.

(Or is it their slogan, plaintive and shrill,  
As they beat on the corslets, valiant still?)

An idle noon, a bubbling spring,

## The Literary Inquest

Conducted by  
Richard Powell

Hilaire Belloc carries one of the heaviest armaments of criticism and appraisal in English literary circles. When he turns these weapons of talent for a moment away from biography-writing to aim at modern politics, the result is worth seeing. The Ship of State emerges from his barrage of satire with masts tilted at a drunken angle, holes yawning in its bravely gilt sides and its sails drooping like the tail of a whipped puppy. There is no mental reservation in our recommendation of Hilaire Belloc's "The Postmaster-General" (Lippincott, \$2. Pub. September 18), with its masterly caricatures by G. K. Chesterton.

In 1960 the Socialists under Mrs. Boulger had displaced the Anarchist Party led by Lady Caroline Balcomb (by previous arrangement) in governing England, and Wilfrid Halterton was selected as Postmaster-General in the Cabinet. There arose a decision as to which of two companies should get the valuable television contract. Wilfrid Halterton, a vacillating man, allowed the offer of a fifty-thousand-dollar a year position slightly to influence his choice. A lesser man than Belloc might have hinted that this was a bribe, whereas everyone understood that it was a business deal which would have been criminal to neglect. Perhaps it was a trifle unethical for the head of the favored company to steal the written guarantee he had given to the Postmaster-General, and for the Secretary of State for Home Affairs to purloin both this secret agreement and the television contract from the financier. But at the worst it would have passed as sharp business had not that lone crusading member of Parliament, Reginald Butler, loosed his indignant voice. He should have known that it was bad form. His subsequent punishment was undoubtedly deserved. Still, it caused Wilfrid Halterton to experience a bitter moment when that official (as a matter of form) had to assert his innocence of any gain from the contract to the House of Commons—since the loss of his guarantee really had left him without reward.

Right triumphs in the end, however, with Halterton being saved from ruin through the aid of a Semitic financier. The only flaw in Belloc's technique creeps in at this point, when he presents this friendly magnate in a non-farical manner. This change of tone can be attributed to the author's dislike of anti-Semitism, but however praiseworthy for its tolerance, it slows the pace of the book.

An acquaintance with English politics is no more necessary for enjoyment of "The Postmaster-General" than it is in order to appreciate "Pinocchio" and "The Mikado." Indeed, there is a great similarity between this book and the comic operas of Gilbert and Sullivan. Both ridicule English pomposity and self-satisfaction, both present a gallery of gloriously burlesqued figures and both are universal in their humor. The satire is not the rapier thrusting of a Voltaire or the bludgeoning of a Sinclair Lewis, but a resounding slap delivered on a tender portion of John Bull's anatomy. It is the honest, motivated type of farce that has been so neglected since the advent of the facile wise-crack.

### Hearsay Evidence

The elder Dumas set some kind of record for economy when he finished writing "The Three Musketeers." Finding that his last line ended in the middle of a page, he started ruefully at the space about to be wasted, drew a line across and began at once to write "The Count of Monte Cristo." Disraeli, Lord Beaconsfield, believed

The sea in the pine-tops murmuring.

The racy smell of the forest loam,  
When the stealthy sad-heart leaves go home;

(O leaves, O leaves, I am one with you,  
Of the mould and the sun and the wind and the dew!)

This column should have ended with the last line of the Carman's quotation. To draw the reader's mind from his pictures and his music to this pedestrian prose is as incongruous as to let the stage-hands appear after the final curtain has been rung down, but it would have been worse to have written "The Vagrant" immediately after Carman's verses. Hence these few lines are added to take care of the amenities and merely to interpose something between Carman and

THE VAGRANT.

## BUSINESS BITS

Something new in heating devices is the attractive Arvin Electric Room Heater, in a choice of pleasing colors, now being advertised at the Majestic Electric Shop, Haverford avenue. It is approved by Good Housekeeping Institute for its safety, economy and appearance. Just the thing to warm a chilly room.

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"Nearly 250,000 deaths in ten years," is the heading of an article concerning automobile accidents that heads last month's issue of "The Safer Way," an insurance bulletin published by William H. Durbin and William S. Howard, 31 N. Narberth avenue. "Funny things do happen" is another head; and another is "When there's no time to think." The monthly publication is sent all who are interested enough to ask for it. Its sponsors, Durbin and Howard, handle real estate, mortgages, and all the usual kinds of insurance: residence, burglary, automobile and fire.

Lending point to any advertisement of insurance and of fire protective de-

ed that the forms should be maintained at all times, and therefore attired himself in evening dress whenever he intended to write.

Thomas Chatterton, who is now recognized as an eminent figure in English literary history, began writing at the age of twelve. Fearful that his efforts would be scorned if his age were known, he palmed off his work as the work of a long-dead monk. This deception was discovered when he was seventeen and as a result Chatterton committed suicide.

Alexander Pope was another infant prodigy, beginning his sonnet writing at the age of fourteen. As an opposite example, Goethe wrote the second part of Faust when he was eighty.

vices is the fact that this nation's loss of life by fire in a recent year was 10,000, of which 65 per cent. occurred in dwellings. "Cut the loss in half" is the slogan of this year's Fire Prevention Week, celebrated nationally October 9-15.

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## THE FIRESIDE

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Mr. and Mrs. Percival Roberts, Jr., who have been spending some time in Canada, have returned to Pennhurst Farms.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. R. Evans, of Price avenue, had as their guest over the week-end Miss Angela C. Gray, of Philadelphia.

Miss Erma Ruth Minick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Minick, of Windsor avenue, who returned from a visit to Cleveland, Ohio, last Saturday, left on Wednesday for Huntingdon, Pa., where she will stay for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Minick's other daughter, Miss Martha Minick, has as her guests over the week-end Miss Betty Sager, of Philadelphia, and Miss Lenore Colie, of Bethayres, Pa.

Among the guests who attended the bridge party which Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sluss, of Ardmore, gave last Friday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. William Hagenbuch, Mr. and Mrs. George Fortenbacher, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Keenan, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kennedy.

The many friends of Mr. T. E. Laughlin, of Dudley avenue, will be glad to learn that he is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever and will return from the Bryn Mawr Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry S. Mellor and family, who have been at their cottage in Stone Harbor, N. J., since June 7, have returned to their home on Chestnut avenue.

On September 16, Mr. Barnard S. Mellor, Jr., accompanied by his parents, left Stone Harbor for Severna Park, Md., where Mr. Mellor entered the Severn School.

## In the Mailbag

To the Editor of "Our Town":

Friend, Roman, Countryman! Lend me your column! I come to bury Caesar not to praise him. Caesar hath fallen and how great a fall that is. Long have I waited to catch The Spectator in error. Now I have succeeded.

Last week he told of gathering a crowd of boys together to discuss the Sixth Commandment. Shades of Bluebeard, Captain Kidd and Jessie James! Why discuss murder?

And then—he surely meant it for a joke—he quotes his authority as James VII.

Is The Spectator out of his field in both Biblical and historical matters? Very gratefully yours,  
ALFRED MASON.

Merion, Pa.

Editor's Note: We hold The Spectator capable of defending himself, but would assume that he was referring to the commandment, "Thou shalt not commit adultery," which is the 6th in the Douai version used in the Roman Catholic Church and the 7th in the King James version. Also that the somewhat ambiguous manner in which the 7th commandment in the King James version was referred to by The Spectator (viz.: King James VII) was responsible for Subscriber Mason's belief that The Spectator had muddled historical (Douai) as well as religious matters.

## Winners in Men's and Women's Tournaments Announced

Winners in the open duplicate bridge tournament sponsored by the Narberth Bridge Club last Monday evening in the club rooms in Elm Hall were N. and S., J. H. Baker and Dr. Mark Morgan; E. and W., Allan Shubert and Clifford K. Goodwin.

The next open tournament will be held on Monday, October 17.

The Women's Division of the Club held a closed duplicate bridge tournament last Friday afternoon. The winners were N. and S., Mrs. E. C. Griswold and Mrs. J. H. Baker; E. and W., Mrs. Frederick Moyer and Mrs. C. Alfred Peeney.

This Friday afternoon the Women's Division will hold an open duplicate tournament for the members and their guests. Refreshments will be served at one o'clock and cards at 2 P. M. For reservations call Mrs. C. A. Stoult, Narberth 2328-J.

A closed duplicate contract tournament will be held by the Women's Division on Friday, October 14.

## Welcomes Freshmen

Dr. William A. Pearson, of Narberth, Dean of Hahnemann College, was one of the speakers who welcomed the class of 149 first year men at the College on Monday night.



## "Modern Conceptions of the Universe" is 7th Reading List

"Modern Conceptions of the Universe" is the seventh reading list prepared by the Library for the benefit of those patrons who may wish to systematize their reading.

While such a list contains books which are not as easy reading as the latest novel, it is felt that there are enough serious minded patrons of the Library to warrant its selection.

The list follows:

1. "The Nature of the Physical World," by A. S. Eddington. A lucid explanation of the relativity theory, tracing the effect of modern concepts in science on the age-old conflict between Free Will and Determinism.

2. "The Universe Around Us," by Sir James Jeans. An exploration of our present knowledge of the universe extending from the microcosm of the atom to the macrocosm of the galaxy.

3. "The Universe in the Light of Modern Physics," by Max Planck. A simple account of the ideas which have revolutionized physics during the last 30 years, by the originator of the quantum theory.

4. "Stars in Their Courses," by Jeans. An introduction to modern astronomy written in simple, non-technical language.

5. "Life in the Stars," by Sir Francis Younghusband. The popularity of this volume testifies to man's interest in other than purely terrestrial affairs.

6. "Creative Chemistry," by E. E. Slosson. An exposition of the marvels of chemistry, unobscured by technicalities, which is as absorbing reading as any thrilling romance.

7. "Biology," by Patrick Geddes and J. Arthur Thompson. Indicates the main aims and quests of biological thought and illustrates their results.

8. "Why the Weather?" by Charles Franklin Brooks. The hows and whys of changes in the weather throughout the seasons, written for the layman, but with the scientists' regard for accuracy.

9. "Number of Things," by Slosson. A chemist discusses in a personal light vein a great variety of scientific, literary and sociological subjects.

10. "The Electron," by R. A. Millikan. An account of the experiments leading to an exact evaluation of the elementary charge by the man who received the Nobel prize for his work in that field.

\*Recommended in a Yale Graduate Reading List.

## Babe Bowes, Wanamaker Win Cynwyd Tournaments

The tennis season at the Cynwyd Club wound up last week-end, as far as tournament play goes, with the completion of the Women's and the Closed tournaments.

Cecile "Babe" Bowes won the women's championship on Saturday by defeating Betty Vanneman in the finals 6-1, 9-7. The first set was a walk-away for Babe as the score indicates, but the second set produced some excellent tennis with long rallies and closely contested games.

In the Closed tournament, Wells Wanamaker, of Narberth, emerged victorious by virtue of his lasting powers and ability to play steady tennis when necessary. He defeated H. G. Turner, of Cynwyd, in the finals by the weird score of 6-2, 16-14. Both contestants appeared to be greatly relieved when the 30-game second set was ended.

## Sight Singing Classes to be Taught by Mrs. Koup

Mrs. Harold S. Koup, formerly Miss Katherine Hall, who for the past two years was music supervisor of the Huntingdon Valley Schools and conductor of the High School Orchestra and the Glee Club, will direct sight-singing classes in Narberth.

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The only requisite for membership is the ability to sing a scale correctly. Personal application must be made at 1059 Montgomery avenue, Narberth, where the class will meet for study beginning Tuesday evening, October 18, 1932, at 7.45 P. M.

## Main Line Club Women to Participate in Convention

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Among the departments reporting on Tuesday is the conservation and natural resources group, Mrs. Abram Bunn Ross, of Cynwyd, chairman. Five district luncheon conferences come at recess. The Juniors hold a conference on the work for the blind. The department of legislation, Mrs. S. Blair Luckie, chairman, brings Governor Pinchot as a speaker in the afternoon. Press and Publicity, Mrs. E. E. Mellick and Mrs. Neal Anderson, follows the legislation period, with Dr. D. M. Melchior as the speaker.

There will be a \$5.00 gold piece awarded to the club having the most complete scrapbook, and blue ribbon awards will be made for the best year book, as well as to the poster depicting the club activities for the year.

On Wednesday the convention will open with club institutes under Mrs. A. A. Crooks, and a breakfast with Mrs. John A. Frick, speaking for the Girl Scouts. The convention will take up "Education in Departmental Program, Taxation and the Public Schools," being discussed by Franklin Spencer Edmonds.

The departments of the American Home and of international relations and county federation are on this day, with reports on finance and revision of by-laws claiming business periods. A literature luncheon will be in charge of Mrs. Lewis R. Dick. The international relations hour, with the chairman, Mrs. Frank Miles Day, will present Rabbi William Fineshreiber, whose topic is "Patriotism and the International Mind."

In the American Home period, "Family Relationships" will be discussed by Dr. Mary McConaghey, while the Citizenship department presents as a speaker, George Soule, on "Economic Citizenship in Depression." Wednesday night the General Federation president is the speaker and the Curtis Institute gives an elaborate musical program.

The report of the State chairman, Mrs. Charles Musser, on County Federations and Extension will take place on this day.

Public welfare and the fine arts departments have a place on the program on Thursday, with an art luncheon.

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con between sessions, at which Kinward Wedgewood is the speaker. The afternoon will be given to conferences of all departments and the aforementioned Federation will be held in the evening.

The Juniors of Montgomery County Federated Clubs are engaged in a work both inspirational and helpful. They have taken as a special project a scholarship fund of \$900 in the Royer-Greaves School for Blind Children at King of Prussia.

## Rangers Play McCourt's Stars at Playground Sat.

The Narberth Rangers were grid iron victors Wednesday of last week when they defeated Thomas McCourt's team, 7-0. Next game will be played 10 A. M. this Saturday, between the Rangers and Jack Kane's Stars, from Overbrook, at the Narberth Playground.

Line-up of the Rangers this Saturday: l. e., Walter Case; r. e., Felix Daley; l. g., Patrick Doyle; r. g., Bud McDevitt; tackles, Walter O'Sullivan and Thomas Civitello; center, Bud Leahy; halfbacks, Joseph Demedio and Henry Smith; f. b., Bill Leahy; quarterback, Bill Finan.

## Narberth Church Sends Delegates to Convention

Four delegates from Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Narberth, attended the biennial convention of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Lutheran Church of America held in Baltimore, Md., from October 1 to 5.

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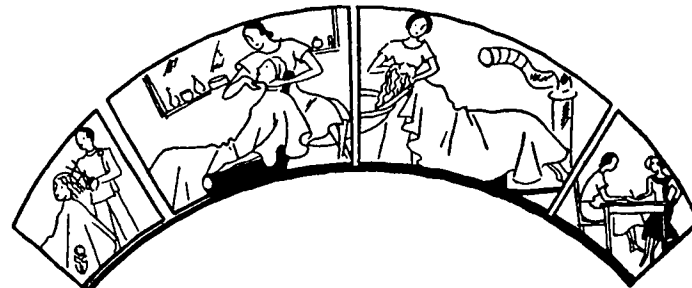
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By ROBERT J. EDGAR

When will we get the first frost?

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The same prepared bulb fibre and ornamental bowls may be used for forcing tulips, hyacinths and narcissi. These are very much slower to mature and will be nice in January—when snow is on the ground—or rain, or whatever the weatherman sends us at that time. Will it be a cold winter? Our winters are usually much colder than our summers, but other than that it is rather difficult to predict, from the behavior of squirrels, the thickness of corn husks or other signs and superstitions as to just how cold or how snowy the coming winter will be.

*The Garden As Part of Our Life.* Would we miss it? Likely yes! That picture of the garden at its height in early June. The pleasing sight of a panel or sweep of level green lawn. Those flowers for the table. The majesty of great trees to make us feel that we are not so wonderful after all. The brilliant color of autumn foliage and fruit. The birds that our trees and shrubs bring to our gardens. All of these and more are a part of the garden.

Would we be deprived of the pleasure of setting little brown bulbs into the ground and dreaming of their color or in early spring. Who would give up the thrill of planting seeds and watching them mature into flowering plants?

What a lesson in faith to plant a bare brown stick and root and knowing that it will in time break forth into a glorious bush of roses. It is not that we want more and better flowers than our neighbor. The love of green growing things is instinct in us all; it takes many forms, trees or turnips, cannas or cabbages, mosses or muskmelons, hardy plants and tender plants—but they must be plants. They are a part of our lives—a part of beautiful lives. To try to live without flowers and plants about us, close to us, would be merely existing. Whether or not we plant them and tend them they must be there. Those who plant not and neither do they tend are missing much.

The mystery of the tiny seed, the secrets of the soil, the part that rain plays, and the effect of the sun on plants. Science has taught us much but we have so much more to learn. We know that plants eat, drink, sleep, perspire, inhale, exhale, increase their kind, store food for reserve. Plants have friends and enemies among insects, birds and animals—and among themselves. And then there is man who understands plants little and appreciates them less—probably their worst enemy.

Let us know the plants, their needs, their friends, their enemies and the part that we can play to help them to add to the sweetness of our lives.

**Announces New Bridge Series**  
Mrs. Georgene Sickels Van Court, of 708 Beechwood drive, Beechwood Park, announces two new series of duplicate contract bridge on Tuesday evenings and Friday afternoons. The meetings, which will be held in Mrs. Van Court's studio, will be preceded by 5-minute talks on the latest developments in the bridge world.

The winners in this week's duplicate contract games at Mrs. Van Court's home on Wednesday evening, were: North and South pair: Miss Louise Johnson, of Merion, and Mr. George Johnston, of Philadelphia; East and West pair: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell, of Merwood Park.

In the Friday afternoon games those reaching high scores were: North and South pair: Mrs. Wm. Lemmon, of Ardmore, and Mrs. Robert Gick, of Lansdowne; East and West pair: Miss Dorothy Kimmey, of Cynwyd, and Mrs. V. Vurden, of Overbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Reinhart, of Heath road, and family, returned last Sunday from Cape May, where they have spent the past three weeks at their summer cottage. Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart will spend next week-end at their cottage.

### Contract Bridge

For the instruction and entertainment of readers interested in Contract Bridge, we will present in these columns a series of lessons, based on the Culbertson system, prepared by Mrs. Georgene Sickels Van Court, of Beechwood, associate teacher of the Culbertson National Studios.

In this series Mrs. Van Court will endeavor to build up a simple and comprehensive picture of bidding procedure. The articles will be based to a large extent upon her booklet "An Outline of the Culbertson System", which has enjoyed a wide spread use among bridge players.

Readers are invited to submit questions, sending them in care of this paper.

#### LESSON 1 Suit Bids of One

As two divisions of an army signal to each other across a wide expanse of battlefield about their position, strength and reinforcements to be used against the enemy, so do two partners in a Contract Bridge game flash across the bridge table, in the code of conventional bids, definite information about the strength of their hands to be used in their battle with the opponents.

What information does a bid of one club, one diamond, one heart, or one spade by a player give his partner? The most important message conveyed is that he has a certain number of sure tricks, a card or a combination of cards that will take tricks whether the hand is played by the dealer, his partner, or even by the opponents. These sure tricks are called defensive honor tricks. And in every deal it will be found that the honor cards will fall in such combinations as to form between 8 and 8½ honor tricks. These are the defensive honor tricks:

A-K—2 H. T.  
A-Q—1½ H. T.  
A-J-10—1½ H. T.  
K-Q-10—1½ H. T.  
A—1 H. T.  
K-Q—1 H. T.  
K-J-x—1 H. T.  
K-x, Q-x—1 H. T.  
Q-J-x—½ H. T.  
Q-x, J-x—½ H. T.

Never can more than two defensive tricks be counted in a suit.

The dealer to open the bidding must have 2½ defensive honor tricks. A good player never disregards this requirement, so that if the opponents obtain the final contract and his partner makes a penalty double, he can depend on the dealer for 2½ sure tricks. This is the first message conveyed to partner by a bid of one suit by dealer. So that if dealer holds

Spades—A-K-9-6-3-2  
Hearts—8-6  
Diamonds—J-9-3  
Clubs—10-9  
he passes. But if he holds  
Spades—A-K-9-6  
Hearts—8-6-3  
Diamonds—A-9-6-3  
Clubs—10-9

he bids one spade.

The second message conveyed by a bid of one in a suit, is that the player holds a biddable suit, which is a suit of at least 4 cards, headed by 1½ H. T., or, if of 5 cards headed by ½ H. T., or, any 6-card suit is biddable providing that there is a total of 2½ honor tricks in the hand, of course.

The third message conveyed is that the dealer holds 4 playing tricks (4 expected tricks if he plays the hand at his bid). He bids one with only four tricks because he counts on his partner to have his equal division of the remaining 9 tricks, or 3 tricks, giving them a total of 7 tricks between them. Playing tricks consist of honor tricks counted at their full value (i. e., A-K-Q, 3 tricks, etc.), and low card tricks in the trump suit and in side suits of four or more. All cards in excess of three in the trump suit are valued at one playing trick each, and all cards in excess of three in side suits are valued at one-half trick each, so that bidding one spade on the following hand, he would count 6 playing tricks.

Spades—K-9-6-5-3  
Hearts—A-K-Q  
Diamonds—K-4-2  
Clubs—5-4

He would have two more tricks than his bid of one shows. Therefore he would have a re-bid of two, so that if his partner raised him to two Spades, he would bid four Spades.

The fourth message conveyed is when the dealer has the opportunity to bid two suits. When holding two suits of equal length, he bids the higher ranking first, but when he holds a 5- and a 4-card suit or a 6- and a 4-card suit, he bids the longer first, even though it be a minor suit.

Therefore, with the following hand

Spades—A-K-J-10  
Hearts—6-5-3  
Diamonds—K-9-6-5-3  
Clubs—K

he bids first one diamond and on the second round bids the spade suit.

### Hess to be Host to Republicans the 15th

Johnson, Ditter and Peters to Attend Annual Corn Boil at Gladwyne

On Saturday afternoon, October 15, Peter C. Hess, Township Treasurer and president of the Republican Association of Lower Merion, will be host at the annual corn boil at Gladwyne.

All Republicans of Lower Merion and Narberth, whether or not they are members of the Republican Association, are cordially invited to attend.

Among the guests and speakers at the affair will be the Hon. Charles Johnson, Montgomery County leader; J. William Ditter, Congressional candidate for the County; Fred C. Peters, of Ardmore, candidate for reelection from the First Legislative District in the State Legislature; and possibly a speaker of national renown whose name has not yet been divulged.

Viands will include boiled corn, baked ham, potato salad, hot dogs and coffee.

A meeting of the Republican Association will be held in the Gladwyne Community Hall at 2.30, preceding the picnic. The supper will be served at 4.30.

These are the four messages conveyed to partner by the dealer or by second hand. After two passes third or fourth hand does not open the bidding unless he holds 3 honor tricks. And if the bidder is vulnerable he should in each case have a queen in addition or a longer trump suit. The next article will deal with raising partner's suit bid of one.

#### ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF ELLA M. NEYLON, late of Narberth, Montgomery County, deceased—Letters Testamentary on the above Estate, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to  
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Narberth, Pa.

Or to her attorney:  
DESMOND J. MCTIGHE, Esquire  
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Norristown, Pa.

(c10-14)

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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

*A Series of instructive articles on the Culbertson System will be published beginning*

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Mrs. Georgene Sickels Van Court, of Beechwood, widely known as an author and teacher in the field of Contract Bridge, will conduct the column. An article will appear each week explaining in logical form the Culbertson system of bidding and valuation.

**EVERY WEEK IN THESE COLUMNS**



## Continuance of "Barrel Campaign" Necessary for Success of Main Line Emergency Relief

On the success of the Barrel Campaign may depend the ability of the Main Line Emergency Relief to go through the coming winter with sufficient funds to perform its essential work, it was revealed this week by E. W. Ehmann, chairman.

Mr. Ehmann, in showing the need of this supplementary form of public contributions, pointed to the number of families who need relief, and to the comparatively limited amount of money available for the purpose.

"I think it is safe to say that there are at least 600 families now in need of relief," he said. "If we set a minimum of \$20 per month per family to sustain life, we find that the requirements are at least \$12,000 per month. The various local relief agencies with which we are working will receive from the Talbot Fund about \$5000 per month, which means that some \$7000 per month must be secured from other sources.

"The Main Line Emergency Relief has on hand about \$20,000, which will provide \$4000 per month for the next five months. The difference between our minimum needs and the total funds in sight, as you see, is about \$3000 per month. This must be made up by material gifts.

"The greater the contributions in the form of food and clothing, the greater the amount which the Emergency Committee will have available

### TOO MANY BEANS!

Cans of pork and beans, and boxes of dry cereal are far in lead among the various types of food contributed to the barrels of the Main Line Emergency Committee. The women's group, in looking over the growing food supply, discovered this week that it is lopsided.

"We don't want dry cereals", they say, "for the families to be helped do not have milk and cream. And we have too big a proportion of baked beans".

The need is for canned fruits, soups and vegetables; potatoes, jellies, flour, cocoa, rice, coffee. With the dropping off of fresh vegetables, the need is becoming even more acute.

for the purchase of coal, etc., the payment of rent, and other purposes for which only money will serve."

The Barrel Campaign was started during the summer by a separate committee, sponsored by the various service clubs of the Main Line. Green barrels have been placed in most of the stores of the Main Line for the receipt of contributions in the form of staple foods and clothing. The results to date have greatly aided the Emergency Committee in conserving its cash resources.

Thus our season stepped behind the curtain of time, to emerge again no doubt as powerful as ever, and with a record which gives those representing us something to shoot at in the way of prestige.

### NARBERTH

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Powell, lf	2	2	0	0	0
Francis, rf	2	1	1	0	0
MacGregor, ss	0	2	0	2	1
Gillilan, 3b	0	0	0	3	2
Slaughter, cf	1	0	1	0	0
Walker, 1b	1	0	8	0	0
Brennan, 2b	1	1	4	0	0
King, c	1	1	12	0	0
Babb, p	2	3	0	2	0
Carroll, 1b	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	10	10	27	7	3

### ERDENHEIM

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kane, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Vandergrift, ss	0	2	1	2	0
Ott, 2b	0	0	2	3	0
Baumer, rf	1	0	2	0	0
Lewis, cf	1	2	3	0	3
Sager, c	0	0	7	0	0
Kist, 3b	1	0	2	2	0
Pratt, 1b	0	0	7	0	1
Diesenroth, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	4	4	24	10	4

Erdenheim	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	—	4
Narberth	0	5	0	1	0	0	4	x	—10

Two-base hit—King. Three-base hit—Lewis. Home run—Lewis. Stolen bases—Slaughter. Double plays—Kist to Ott to Pratt. Bases on balls—Off Babb, 1; off Diesenroth, 5. Struck out—By Babb, 10; by Diesenroth, 6. Hit by pitcher—Slaughter. Wild pitches—Diesenroth. Passed ball—Sager. Umpires—Burton and Westervelt.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County, Penna., to me directed, will be sold at Public Sale on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1932

at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Court Room "C" at the Court House, in the Borough of Norristown, said County, the following described Real Estate:

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot in the Borough of Narberth, on Essex Ave. 199.87' N. W. of intersection of Essex and Price Aves., Cont. 43.2' on Essex Ave. and extending in depth, 107.12'. Known as 407 Essex Ave.

The Improvements thereon are a: 2 1/2 Story Frame and Plastered Building, 18 feet front by 52 feet deep, 3 Rooms on First Floor, 3 Rooms and Bath on Second Floor, attic, cellar, gas, electric lights, Springfield water, hot water heat, porch front.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of James W. Barnett and Dorothy Barnett, his wife, and to be sold by

Haseltine S. Lever, Sheriff.

Down Money \$200.00  
Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Penna.  
September 27, 1932.

(9-10-14)

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ALL THAT CERTAIN lot in Narberth, Montgomery County, Penna.

BEGINNING W. side of Essex Ave., 150 ft. S. from S. side Windsor Ave. CONTAINING 50 ft. on Essex Ave. and a depth at right angles, 125 ft. Known as 112 Essex Ave.

The Improvements thereon are a: 3 Story Stone and Frame House, 32 feet front by 42 feet deep, with a 1 Story Frame addition, 12 feet by 12 feet, 6 Rooms and Bath on First Floor, 6 Rooms and Bath on Second Floor, 6 Rooms and Bath on Third Floor, cellar, gas, electric lights, Springfield water, steam heat, porch front, 1 Story Frame Garage, 34 feet by 16 feet.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Helen Baird Caldwell, Mortgagee and Real Owner, and to be sold by

Haseltine S. Lever, Sheriff.

Down Money \$200.00  
Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Penna.  
September 27, 1932.

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ALL THAT CERTAIN lot in Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

BEGINNING S. E. side Sabine Ave., 123.14', N. 60° 34' E. from intersection S. E. side Sabine Ave. with N. E. side Conway Ave., thence N. 60° 34' E., 30 ft., thence S. 29° 26' E., 86 ft., thence S. 69° 34' W., 30 ft., N. 20° 26' W., 86 ft. to beginning.

The Improvements thereon are a: 3 Story Plastered House, 20 feet front by 48 feet deep, 4 Rooms & 1 Bath on First Floor, 4 Rooms and 1 Bath on Second Floor, 4 Rooms and 1 Bath on Third Floor, cellar, gas, electric lights, Springfield water, hot water heat, porch front.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Daniel J. McGarry and Mary G. McGarry, his wife, and to be sold by

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at 1:00 P. M. o'clock in Court Room "C" at the Court House, in the Borough of Norristown, said County, the following described according to a plan and survey thereof made as follows:—

ONE THEREOF on the Northwestern side of a new road laid out by F. Millwood, Justice, from Essex Avenue to Montgomery Avenue and known as Stepney Place, COMMENCING at a point 45 feet Northeastwardly from the Northwestern corner of Essex Avenue and the said Stepney Place, a corner of ground of Clarence S. Tay; thence extending by said Tay's ground North 45 degs. 37 mins. West 107.83 feet; thence North 12 degs. 20 mins. East 62 feet to a point; thence by the rear line of lots marked 1, 2, and 3 and homestead on said plan South 62 degs. 27 mins. East 188.39 feet to the Northwestern side of Stepney Place aforesaid; thence along the latter South 74 degs. 46 mins. West 9.86 feet; thence still along said side of Stepney Place by a curve to the left (with a radius of 273 feet) a distance of 105.14 feet to the first mentioned point and place of beginning.

AND THE OTHER THEREOF Beginning at a stake at the intersection of the rear line of Lot No. 13, property now or late of Linda J. Warner and Lot No. 1, property now or late of Brenton G. Wallace and Frederic G. Warner as laid out on the said plan (said stake being at the distance of 188.39 feet North 62 degs. 27 mins. West from a stake set in the Northwestern side of Stepney Place which last mentioned stake is at the distance of 9.86 feet North 74 degs. 46 mins. East along the said line of Stepney Place from a point said point being 105.14 feet Northeastwardly along said side of Stepney Place on the arc of a circle having a radius of 273 feet from a stake in the said side of Stepney Place said stake being at the distance of 45 feet North 52 degs. 42 mins. East along the said side of Stepney Place from its intersection with the Northeastern side of Essex Avenue) AND extending South 62 degs. 27 mins. East 34 feet to a stake placed at the intersection of the rear line of Lot No. 1 and Lot No. 2 as laid out on the said plan; thence North 21 degs. 32 mins. East 1.5 feet to a stake; thence North 65 degs. 0 mins. West 33.9 feet to the first mentioned point and place of beginning.

UNDER AND SUBJECT to certain building restrictions.

The Improvements thereon are a: 2 Story Frame House, 38 feet front by 28 feet deep, with a 1 Story Frame addition, 10 feet by 12 feet, 3 Rooms on First Floor, 3 Rooms and Bath on Second Floor, cellar, gas, electric lights, Springfield water, hot water heat, side porch, 2 Story Plastered Garage, 26 feet by 26 feet.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Thomas U. Schock and A. Ethel Schock, and to be sold by

Haseltine S. Lever, Sheriff.

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## Note These Prices—Taste the Quality

—then start getting real value for your food dollar, at Whiteside's. Here are just a few of the prices to next Wednesday night:

Fresh-killed Broiling Chickens .....lb., 29c  
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Shoulders of Lamb..... 17c

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2-lb. Jar Harting's Strawberry Preserves ..... 29c  
Horse Shoe Red Salmon, can, 15c  
Swans Down Cake Flour, pkg., 23c

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## District Officials and Senior High to Use Administration Building

The new Administration Building of the Lower Merion School District is almost finished, and before the middle of October should be completed, even to the brightly polished numbers above the classroom doors, and the dignified, blue-blooded evergreens which will rise above the hedges of the stone-walled, sunken gardens at the main entrance.

This newest of suburban school buildings embodies all the latest ideas in construction and equipment for the furthering of secondary education, and the instructors who will rule supreme within its walls have everything they could desire for the fulfillment of their obligations and plans.

The administration offices of the entire district will occupy the front wing of the main floor. Offices for the Superintendent of Schools, S. Edgar Downs, and his new assistant, Frank A. DuBois; the office of Miss McCabe, the Secretary of the School Board; clerical offices; and a Board room will take up most of this space. A fireproof vault for the keeping of permanent school records has been completed on the main floor near the administrative offices, and rooms for the supplies for the elementary schools are ready for use.

One of the outstanding features of this new building is the fine gymnasium with its thirty-five-foot ceiling, its beautiful hardwood block floors, and its seating capacity for fifteen hundred people. This huge gathering place will be a center of interest for both young and old, as it will be the scene of all home basketball games as well as all social gatherings of the school year. This gymnasium is equipped with comfortable seats, and an electric scoreboard, which was presented by last year's graduating class. It is adjacent to locker and shower rooms, which are superior to any in the suburban district.

The swimming pool area has been walled for that purpose and when the people of the Township decide they are ready for one, it will be a simple matter to add this feature to the building.

There will be ample classroom space in the building to take care of both senior and junior high school demands until the time comes for a new junior high school to be built, when the entire structure will be taken over for senior high work. The departments of Science, Art, Vocal and Instrumental Music and Mechanical Drawing of the Senior High School will be moved to the new building this fall. It will be unnecessary for the Junior High School to use any of the rooms this year for any purpose except the instrumental music.

An interesting feature of the music rooms, is the trick ceiling for the absorption of sound. The entire ceiling is made of specially constructed material, which is honeycombed with literally thousands of tiny holes. The shower rooms for the girls are arranged uniquely, with each student having a shower, dressing room and locker combined as a unit.

These are a few of the many features of the building, which show the

completeness of detail and the up-to-the-minute ideas incorporated by the School Board and those more intimately associated in the planning and construction of this new unit for boys and girls of Lower Merion Township.

## Babb Hero of Third Win From Erdenheim

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the city morgue.

George Babb, big blonde home right hander, threw them across the platter and seemed to enjoy working in the cool atmosphere, for he had a fine day out on the hill. Only four hits could the visitors get off his sharp hook and speed, two each for Dutchy Vandergrift and Andy Lewis, while 10 fell on strikes. Only one reached first as a gift, a tribute to a pitcher who usually is on the losing end in an argument with his control.

Opposing the Narberth funny-man was Guy Diesenroth, Bartram-Artisans' pitcher, who was under Connie Mack's tutoring for a couple of years. May we suggest that the brand of pitching as exhibited by young Mr. Diesenroth was anything but what one would expect from a prospective major leaguer.

The Davismen got his number for five runs in the second, due to a brace of walks, a passed ball, two hits, and a brace of errors. After that he was in trouble aplenty and worried the ultimate winner none at all, unless they feared being struck with his wild chucking.

Guy gave tickets to both Barney Slaughter and Bud Walker, after which Johnny Brennan laid down a perfect bunt along the third base line which went for a hit, loading the bags, and Slaughter scored on Harry King's fly-out to right soon after. The invaders might have killed the rally there, for Babb lifted another one to the same spot, but Pratt missed Lewis' relay to first in an attempted double play, setting the stage for the prize weird play of the day.

Howdy Powell pasted a single to center, which slipped through Lewis for a rank error and two more runs scored, bringing up Mite Harry Francis. On the fourth ball Chick Sager muffed the pitch, failed to find it, and Francis, like the Broadway Limited, roared around the bases and tallied run number five as the small crowd cheered and also mocked the terrible play of a team which had clinched a pennant.

Lewis gave Erdenheim its first run in the fourth with a long triple, after Baumer had binged, and after Narberth tabbed one on its account in the same frame, added two more in the fifth. Lewis was credited with the final one in the ninth, a home run to left center.

However, it was futile, for Narberth previously had rung the bell with four in its eighth and thus finished the season with two honors, champion and master of another.

Babb attended to the greatest amount of hitting for Narberth with three, while Powell and MacGregor each had two.

## 'Time Out'

BY TOMMY MACKLIN

Acknowledgements to Dr. Frank P. K. Barker for many facts concerning athletics at Lower Merion in past years.

A research into the newspaper files shows that Cheltenham has only beaten Lower Merion once in the last ten years, and so far as we can find out, that is the only time in the history of their relations dating back for thirty-one years that the Blue Panthers have been able to come out on top. Quite a record for victories.

In 1926 Leon Whitlock, the best quarterback of the season in Philadelphia Suburban ranks, wore Cheltenham's colors and ran the ball for a 20 to 0 defeat for Lower Merion. The following year the Maroon won 7 to 6, when Peter's touchdown and extra point topped McCorkle's run with an intercepted pass for a touchdown.

Those are the only four touchdowns scored by Cheltenham in the past ten years, while the local lads have run up 180 points.

Last year Harvey Buck and Mike Iocavelli scored touchdowns against the Blue for a victory of 13 to 0. Mike kicked a dropkick for the extra point. Tomorrow Buck will be absent from the line-up due to scholastic difficulties, but Albert Adam will have a capable substitute in his place in the person of Ryan.

In 1925 when L. M. was stopped after 29 consecutive victories over a period of more than three years, the Cheltenham game was the 29th and the score was 27 to 0.

Last week at Franklin Field it was Lower Merion vs. Lower Merion. John Pennypacker, loyal son of the Main Line, wore Pennsylvania's Red and Blue jersey No. 33 in his first college varsity game and lined up against Captain "Lard" Cunningham, of the Lancaster F. and M. Roses, in a hard-fought football game. While Cunningham played a steady game at tackle, his opportunities for brilliance were few, for the Penn team ran most of the scoring plays through the other side of the line. When Penny teamed up against "Lard," we noticed that the big boy from Lancaster was taken out of the play every time.

This week it will be another Lower Merion day at Franklin Field. This time it will be Pennypacker for Penn, and Turner for Swarthmore. They will not line up against each other though, for Turner has been switched from the tackle post to end, and the boys will not come into direct contact with each other in the plays.

While Bates deserves credit for its moral victory over Yale last Saturday, Yale without Lassiter in the line-up is not Yale at her best. Bates is Adam's Alma Mater. And, incidentally, Mrs. Adam's, too.

Hunter Lott has matriculated at North Carolina University at Chapel Hill.

Tulane, Tennessee, Vanderbilt and Alabama are the cream of the South this season as in the past. Georgia will not do as well as in the past few years. V. P. I. won from them last week, 7 to 6. Another week and you will be able to pick the best of that foursome.

Tulane got a new coach and won last week. Wisconsin, with Tulane's former coach, won, and Princeton's revamped team under the direction of Fritz Crisler from Wisconsin also

won. The coaching must have something to do with this business.

Many people are crying that Harman doesn't have much at Penn. One thing you may be sure of: Harman will take nothing in the way of material and go a long way along the victory trail with it.

Pennsylvania may be defeated, but you will see up and up football at Franklin Field this year.

Lansdowne looked good against Darby on Monday, winning 20 to 0. Playing against the bigger schools they will not do so well.

Place the shekle on Villanova tomorrow.

The huge bouquet of dahlias on Principal Gilberts' desk are beautiful, but upon inquiry we learned that he purchased them at a flower shop.

**Dr. Barker, Herb Baltz and Dr. Town Helped L. M. Win**

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played the Blue for thirty-one years and tomorrow's game marks the thirty-second.

The line-up facing Cheltenham that afternoon is an interesting one from a local viewpoint. The fact that the Maroon team won 16 to 0 because of two touchdowns by Horace Young's plunging ability and another by Dave Ramsey, the speed merchant, plus a goal after touchdown by the same Dave, is not the most interesting feature. The important thing, we repeat, was the line-up.

There's Doctor E. C. Town, of Narberth, at left end. Dr. Frank P. K. Barker, Township Commissioner, at left tackle. There's Clarence Law, now in Oregon, sharing honors at left guard with Herbert Baltz, member of the Lower Merion School Board and owner of St. Mary's Laundry. Center is being well taken care of by Horace Shelmire, Insurance Broker from Philadelphia. E. H. Wimpfeimer, famous Broadway actor, who starred along with Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske, is at the right guard position. Lawrence Fellows, famous artist, whose magazine covers you all have seen on many a national magazine, is the driving right tackle. H. H. Arnold, Major in Aviation, U. S. Army, and West Point graduate, is the fleet-footed right end. Louis Bevan, the Philadelphia business man, is barking signals. Halfbacks are J. W. McCurdy, of Atlantic City, and D. M. Ramsey, who died a few years ago. Horace L. Young, Whitman Candy representative in California, is at the fullback post.

There they are. And the Blue Panthers of Cheltenham had reason to fear them, for with the famous tackles back, and guards back plays of those days, the hefty line, which averaged well over 180 pounds, worked havoc with their opponents.

Touchdowns in those days counted five points instead of six, hence the strange score of sixteen points when the boys scored three touchdowns and a point after.

If football helps to make the same type of men today that it did in those ancient times, then long live the Autumnal King.

\*Note: Ramsey's two boys are now at Lower Merion; Bill, the elder, who plays on the varsity basketball team, and Dave.

### Fish Distribution

The Fish Commission distributed 116,200 black bass and 233,626 trout above the legal six-inch size, to four hundred streams in Pennsylvania last month. Fish Commissioner Oliver M. Deibler announced Wednesday. Distribution was made to fifty-seven counties by trucks from the State's hatcheries.

## Mergerites Resume Activity; Have 700 Petition Signers

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Treasurer, who will collect and disburse the entire local tax bill for \$750.00, whereas the total tax collection and disbursement bill is now \$4,700.00. Narberth's seven Councilmen, it says, whose duties are all duplicate effort, cost the Borough taxpayers \$5,300.00 per year.

It is the aggregate of these numerous items, according to the Committee, that accounts for the total \$52,500.00 net saving the Merger will effect, even assuming that the Courts levy a special 4% mill extra tax on the Borough area to carry and retire its debts.

The personnel of the enlarged Merger Committee is as follows:

Arthur W. Burns, Louis A. Young, Ralph L. Rankin, Herbert L. Woehling, Chas. C. Mason, A. E. Wohler, James J. Duffy, Mrs. J. P. Miller, M. W. Texter, Lulu W. McCartney, John A. Mowrer, Jr., Dr. Max Strumia, Mrs. E. C. Town, Harriet Piereson, Joseph Magarity, M. D. Jennings, Harvey Harman, C. V. Hemsley, H. V. Whitney, Jos. P. White, John B. Williams, Archie G. Sparks, Frederick A. Egmore, Louise V. Cockrill, H. C. Sturm, D. Warren Wright, L. M. Keim, Fred J. Hipkiss, Wm. Ballingall, Mrs. H. B. Weld, Chas. J. Becker, Isaac E. Leech, Edwin T. Wolf, Clarence A. Speakman, F. W. B. Humes, Patrick McSorley, Robert M. Wilson, Geo. W. Cook, Percy F. Hord, Mrs. J. T. Darlington, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, John Albrecht, Mrs. Jos. B. Lenz, Max M. Hebrank, Frank X. Purcell, R. W. Philipps, H. J. Siegel, G. H. Heim, D. P. Beardsley, Edward C. Worrell, John Gilroy.

## Overhead of Welfare Work is Explained

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Free hospital service, visiting nurse work, etc., were given as examples of expenses which do not fall under the head of actual cash distribution.

The idea of many welfare workers, Mr. Fleisher said, is that more and not less should be spent for overhead and investigation, in order that the funds administered may reach those who need it and not be wasted through inability to investigate each case. It is also important, he said, that advisory help be given those needing assistance so as to get them back on their feet. All this requires expense classified as overhead.

"When we consider that 30-35 per cent. of the dollar we give a merchant is for his service in handling and providing the article," he concluded, "we can see that the 5 per cent. expense of the Welfare Federation is low indeed."

## Card Party Opens Junior Club's Year

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who attended the party carry out their anticipation of joining, it is certain that the club will be augmented by a number of very worth-while members. Everyone present signified her intention of attending the supper planned for Thursday, October 6, so it would seem that introduction to the club's activities and purposes had proved it worthy of further acquaintance.

The week of October 10 will be a busy one in the life of the Juniors, for the Convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs is meeting at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, with a large part of the activities planned in the Juniors' interest. Miss Alberta Davis is being sent as a delegate from the Club, and many other of the members expect to attend the functions presented by the Program Committee.

It is interesting and instructive to attend the sessions and meet fellow-Juniors from all parts of the State, and it is delightfully sociable and more than fun to be guests at the luncheons, teas and dinners which the four days' convention plans include. Each year this convention is held, and it is through contact with the officers and members of the State organization that one realizes the definite part which Juniors play in the whole big scheme of things, and accordingly makes a Junior membership seem more valuable and purposeful than before.

There are many girls in this community who would both gain and contribute much in assuming membership in their local branch of this widespread organization, and Narberth invites them cordially into its fold, to see and experience the great

good which comes of such contact and programs as the Juniors have to offer. Mrs. Harold Griest, of Merion avenue, Narberth, is membership chairman of the Narberth Juniors, and would welcome any inquiries on the subject of membership.

J. G. M.

## Chairmen Report at Opening Club Meeting

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"The Fountain," by Charles Morgan. Another meeting of the same group will be held on Tuesday afternoon, October 25, at the home of Mrs. Henry W. Dotzenroth, 8 Cleveland avenue. Mrs. Walter J. Odiome will review Vicki Baums' "Secret Sentence."

Miss Sophie Bliven was the speaker of the afternoon and her topic was "The Family Pocket Book." Tea was served. Hostesses, the Hospitality Committee, Mrs. V. O. Krauskop, chairman.

The reciprocity luncheon will be given by the Club at the Baptist Church on Tuesday, October 18, at 1

P. M. The speaker of the afternoon will be Don Rose, Philadelphia newspaper columnist, whose topic will be "The Editorial Page."

**Scout Meeting Monday**  
Season's first meeting of Narberth Boy Scout Troop, No. 1, will be held at the Parish Hall of the Narberth M. E. Church, 7.30 P. M., next Monday.

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